

SITE INSPECTION REPORT.

1	Name of the Project :	Kutulusinga Medium Irrigation Project		
2	Name of the District: Name of the Division:	Angul Athmallik		
3	Date of inspection	07.12.2021		
4	Name & Designation of the inspecting Officer	Anand. S, I.F.S., Divisional Forest Officer, Athmallik Division		
5	Name and designation of other officer who attended the inspection including the User Agency.	Forest Department 1.Sri S. Anand, I.F.S.(DFO) 2.Sri Rabi Narayan Mohanty (RO, Dhandatopa) 3.Sri Subrat Ku. Satapathy, Forester	User Agency 1.Er. Kiran Ku. Panda, S.E., Angul, Investigation Division. 2.Manoj ku. Nanda, J.E., Angul, Investigation Division.	
6	Legal Status of Forest land proposed for diversion	Tahasil	Status of Forest land	
			Reserve Forest	Revenue Forest
		Athmallik	129.620 Ha.	24.318 Ha.
7	If the area required for diversion has been demarcated on the ground.	Area falling within Reserve Forest is demarcated by concrete pillars. Revenue forest proposed for Diversion, during site inspection, demarcation pillars were not found.		
8	Item wise break-up of the Forest land proposed for diversion.	Component	Forest area in Ha.	Non- forest area in Ha.
		Pondage & head work	124.585	0.000
		Canal	27.499	25.616
		Approach road	1.692	0.000
		Magazine house	0.162	0.000
		Total	153.938	25.616
9	Condition of vegetation and type of forest in applied area	Moderately Dense Forest, as per FSI-Decision Support System 5B/C2-Northern dry mixed deciduous forest.		
10	Position of wildlife in general.	Patch 45, 46,47,48,49,50,51,52,53 of left canal is falling under frequent Elephant movement areas.		
11	Whether the applied area is involved with any Eco-sensitive Zone / National Park / Sanctuary.	Eco-Sensitive zone for Satkosia Gorge Wildlife Sanctuary was not notified. As per Supreme court interim order dt.11.12.2018, I.A. No. 176-177 in writ petition (C) No. 460/2004, an area of 10Kms. around Wildlife Sanctuary will be declared as Eco-sensitive zone. Entire area proposed for Diversion is falling inside the 10Km. Eco-sensitive zone of Satkosia gorge Wildlife Sanctuary, Hatidhara Reserve Forest, Dhandatopa Range.		
12	No of trees to be felled and its impact on the Eco-system.	Exact no. of trees could not be ascertained in the area proposed for Diversion in Reserve Forest, as the User Agency has done only sample plot enumeration. In the 26 sample plots. User Agency has enumerated 11667 trees, 5231 trees Revenue Forest land and 317 trees in Non Forest land, were enumerated by User Agency.		
13	Details of broken up area and reclamation done if any. (Mining cases)	Nil		
14	Position of displacement of people and adequacy of rehabilitation if any.	No displacement of people is necessary for this project.		

15	Position of rare and endangered species available & importance of area from Eco-social point of view.	Himalayan Griffon Vulture was Reported in Nabing village in the year 2020. Nabing village is within 5Km Aerial distance of project area.
16	Non-forest land used in the project and non-forest land selected for Compensatory Afforestation is included in the DLC Report or not.	Hal and Sabik status is mentioned in the Diversion Proposal submitted for project area. As per the land suitability certificate for Compensatory Afforestation provided by DFO, Deogarh Division, Hal/Sabik status of non-forest land selected for Compensatory Afforestation is submitted.
17	Suitability of the identified non-forest land / Degraded forest area for Compensatory Afforestation.	Suitability Certificate attached with the Diversion proposal with CA scheme, signed by DFO, Deogarh.
18	Violation of Forest conservation Act-1980, if any and action taken there-on.	-No-


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